# Michaela Dano

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## **EDUCATION:**

University of Georgia - Athens, Georgia

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science & Certificate in New Media** 

## **Honors: Cum Laude**

## **RELEVANT COURSES:**

- Mobile Software Development
- Systems Programming

## **TECHNICAL/NON-TECHNICAL SKILLS:**

- Java, JavaScript, C++, HTML/CSS
- Figma, GitHub, WordPress, Blender
- **PROJECTS**:

## Frontend/Game Developer

- Developed a dynamic 3D isometric room, allowing for real-time manipulation of lighting, furniture colors, and particle systems.
- Crafted furniture models with Blender and leveraged C# and Unity's functionalities to design a user interface.

Web Programming

**Computer Graphics** 

ReactJS, Three.js, JavaFX

SQLite, Firebase, MongoDB

# **Roommate Shopping App**

**3D Isometric Room** 

- Collaborator/Fullstack Engineered an application that enables seamless sharing of a shopping list among roommates, allowing for item status updates and individual item pricing, accomplished with Java, Android Studio, and Firebase.
- Facilitated roommates with efficient financial management and simplified reimbursement processes.

### **State Capitals Quiz** Collaborator/Backend/Database

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- Collaborated with a partner to develop a quiz game application using Java and Android Studio.
- Leveraged CSV files and SQLite database to manage initial state data, guiz guestions, user responses, and results.
- Employed asynchronous tasks for efficient I/O operations.

### **OTR Solutions Chatbot, Athens, GA** Collaborator / Frontend / Research

- Performed initial user research and conducted interviews to identify prospective clients, pinpointed potential queries the chatbot could address, and identified areas for improvement in the sales processes.
- Developed a Tidio sales assistant chatbot for the New Media Capstone and OTR Solutions.

### **Cinema E-booking System** Collaborator/Frontend/Backend

- Built a web-based booking system with a team of four developers using TMDB API, ReactJS, Node.js, Express, and MySQL.
- Combined waterfall and agile methodologies to preplan deliverables and produce an early working version.
- Enabled users to register, view movie information, and book tickets, while also facilitating the administration of movies, schedules, promotions, and user management.

# **Dawg Watch**

- Collaborated with peers to design an application that facilitates movie searches and provides comprehensive information on movie scores and summaries.
- Planned visual themes and page layouts utilizing Figma, ensuring a cohesive and user-friendly interface.

Collaborator/Frontend

• Used ReactJS to lead web development and utilized data from TMDB API.

# **Simple Shell**

Systems Developer • Implemented basic functionality for a UNIX shell with C by using low-level system calls, exec, and fork.

**Robotics System Learning Kit** Hardware/Software Developer Assembled a robot and reconfigured its pins to complete multiple obstacles using Code Composer Studio and C++.

# **EXPERIENCE:**

### Tate Student Center, Athens, GA **Desk Associate**

- Trained new coworkers on policies, opening and surveillance procedures, technology, and facility operations.
- Answered phone calls and redirected clients to the appropriate person or department.
- Facilitated services provided by the department and monitored event spaces, poster boards, and offices. **Retail Associate** September 2021 - December 2021

# Bookstore, Athens, GA

- Assisted customers in locating items and completed purchases by operating the cash register.
- Organized products and arranged merchandise in appropriate sections.
- Restocked shelves, packaged products for shipping, and maintained backroom and public displays.

# User Experience Strategy

- Software Engineering
- VS Code, Android Studio, Emacs
- **Beginner Tagalog**

# November 2023

December 2023

December 2023

October 2023 - November 2023

August 2023 – December 2023

# January 2023 - May 2023

# October 2020 - December 2020

### June 2022 - September 2023

# November 2021

November 2022 – December 2022